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ZAIMIS FORMS NEW GREEK CABINET

Rupture Between Constantine and Premier Followed Visit of German Minister.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Oct. 7.—Alexander Zaimis has accepted King Constantine's invitation to form a new cabinet, according to a Reuters dispatch from Athens. He has assured leaders of the opposition that they will be allowed representation.

The list of new ministers probably will be presented for the king's approval within a few hours. M. Zaimis will continue the duties of foreign minister with those of premier, and it is expected his associates will include former Premier Gounaris, Kallias, Dragoumis and Theotokis.

Alexander Zaimis, who accepted the task of forming a Greek coalition cabinet, has twice before held the office of premier.

He is the son of Thrasiboulos Zaimis, several times premier and one of the three members of the National Deputation delegates to offer the crown of Greece to King George of Denmark, who reigned at Athens as King George and who was the father of Constantine, the present Hellenic ruler.

CABINET CLOSED.

By Associated Press.
ATHENS, via London, Oct. 7, 5 p. m.—Alexander Zaimis has accepted the premiership in succession to M. Venizelos, at the invitation of King Constantine. He completed his cabinet today. The new cabinet is constituted as follows:

Premier and foreign minister—Alexander Zaimis.

Minister of interior—M. Gounaris.

Minister of war—General Yanakitsas.

Minister of marine—Admiral P. Kountouriotis.

Minister of finance—Stephen Dragoumis.

Minister of instruction—M. Theotokis.

Minister of justice and communications—D. G. Rhalis.

The cabinet members will appear in the chamber Monday.

BREAK AFTER INTERVIEW.

By Associated Press.
PARIS, Oct. 7.—A special to the Petit Journal from Athens says the rupture between King Constantine and M. Venizelos followed a visit of the German minister to the king immediately after the session of the chamber at which M. Venizelos outlined the policy he expected Greece to follow.

SERBS ENTHUSIAST.

By Associated Press.
ATLANTA, via Paris, Oct. 7.—News of the landing of French troops at Saloniki spread throughout the country with great rapidity and caused intense enthusiasm. It is considered to have dissipated the grim shadow of Germany, which was falling across the frontier.

John D. Jr., to Start for N. Y. on Saturday

By Associated Press.
DENVER, Oct. 7.—John D. Rockefeller Jr., shortly before noon today, returned from Sunrise, Wyo. He will start for New York Saturday night after three weeks spent in inspecting the properties of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company and in perfecting the industrial plan which has been adopted by the directors of the corporation and by the miners.

The remaining days of Rockefeller's Colorado visit will be devoted largely to business matters and to working out details of organization in connection with the industrial plan.

Leaves Children With Neighbor; Disappears

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—Leaving a son, Harold, aged 2, and a daughter, Louise, 6 months old, in the care of a neighbor, declaring she was going to a doctor, Mrs. Marie Stromeyer, wife of a superintendent for the California Wine Association, disappeared October 2 and was reported missing to the police today.

AUSTRO-GERMANS INVADE SERBIA

Bulgarian Diplomatic Relations Broken Off by Entente Allies.

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taken by Italy's allies be taken also by Italy and such action was imminent.

The premier is reported to have said that his government viewed the Balkan situation calmly, believing it might have the advantage of shortening the war and bringing about the final success of the allies. He announced that measures had been taken both for the war now in progress on Italy's frontiers and that impending in the Balkans.

AWAIT WAR DECLARATION.

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, via wireless to St. Louis, Oct. 7.—Bulgaria awaits today a declaration of war from the allies. A dispatch from Budapest to the London Anzeiger, as given out here today by the Overseas News Agency, "Premier Radoslawoff conferred with the German, Austro-Hungarian and Turkish diplomatic representatives while the British charge d'affaires, on calling, was received by the first secretary. The office was much disappointed."

DISPATCHES WITHHELD.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—The London office of the Associated Press advises today by cable that thousands of words of dispatches from the Balkans in Sofia and from the German lines on the western battle front are being withheld by the British censors.

DIPLOMATIC ACTS CRITICIZED.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Daily Mail says editorially today: "The dismissal of Premier Venizelos is another important success for Germany. Once more British diplomacy has been at fault. It has been foreseen not prepared. It has been outwitted by King Ferdinand and its prestige has suffered grievously as a result of its errors and the remissness of the British minister. The situation has to be faced that 400,000 Bulgarian troops are ready to operate, probably with the aid of 250,000 Turkish troops not required at the Dardanelles and perhaps neutral Greece, and Serbia fully occupied with meeting the German attack."

"The situation is as grave as well could be. The hour has come for the British government to leave its explicit silence and tell the nation how vast and imperious are its needs in men."

KING GREETED BY SANDERS.

By Associated Press.
AMSTERDAM, via London, Oct. 7.—Field Marshal Liman von Sanders, who has been the German commander of the Turkish forces in Europe, has arrived at Philippopolis, Bulgaria, midway between Adrianople and Sofia, where he was met by King Ferdinand, according to a telegram to the Vaze Dias News Agency.

TIZES PAID TRIBUTE.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, Oct. 7.—A dispatch to the Morning Post from Budapest says:

"Enthusiastic tributes are being paid by the newspapers to the work of Count Stephen Tizsa, the Hungarian premier, and the Austro-German diplomats in bringing about an alliance with Bulgaria. The Pest Herald says:

"All former blunders and mistakes are forgotten for the decision of Bulgaria is the greatest feat in the history of Austro-German diplomacy, and one can clearly discern the iron hands which direct."

The correspondent declares that the agreement with King Ferdinand of Bulgaria was reached in May, the only condition being that Russia should be brought to such a state as not to be able to menace the under-kingdom. Both the king and premier Radoslawoff, the correspondent adds, were tied by this undertaking, and they carried on only sham negotiations with the triple entente to gain time, as well as for the effect on international political conditions.

BRITISH LAND IN SALONIKI.

By Associated Press.
ATHENS, via Paris, Oct. 7.—British troops began to land yesterday at Saloniki. French troops are disembarking a mile and a half from the town, and are being concentrated in a camp located on ground conceded to Serbia after 1912, upon which to build war-houses. From this point they are entrained as quickly as possible for Givigli on the Serbian frontier.

OAKLAND FOR LOWER R. R. RATES

Representative Business Men Take Stand in Terminal Tariff Hearing.

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though a huge mountain lay between the two municipalities the railroad constructing a line 62 miles around to reach San Francisco and then charging Oakland the same freight rates. He stated that he referred to the Dumbarton cut-off, which had been built at enormous expense for the benefit of San Francisco.

Cross-examined by Attorney Seth Mann of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, he was asked, "Do you know just what you want, Mr. King?"

"Yes, the advantage to which we think we are entitled by reason of our advantageous location."

Attorney Humphrey, in stating the position of the Southern Pacific, indicated that that railroad intended to make a more strenuous battle against any reductions of rates in favor of Oakland or the other intervening cities than had ever before been waged before the commission.

RAILROADS' STAND.

"I may state at this time," said Durbrow, "in order that your honor may have an understanding of our position, that we are not here and do not understand that we have been called here to justify any rates. That we shall, when called, proceed to defend our position, which is based on the fact that we are a common carrier and are entitled to a reasonable rate."

"By a number of recent decisions," he declared, "the railroads are called upon to prove the necessity of their position when asking for an increase in rates. By the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in a number of cases which we have cited, we believe the railroad commission or a shipper who may start a proceeding of this nature, must prove, not by prima facie evidence, but by actual testimony and careful proof, that the rates sought to be lowered are excessive or discriminatory against one or another location. We have not urged this point before, but we are prepared to fight for it now, and in all future proceedings of this nature."

CLAY ANSWERS SLUR.

An attempt to belittle Oakland as a commercial and manufacturing center and the old smeltering reference to the city as "the bedroom for San Francisco," brought a sharp retort from I. H. Clay, auditor and assessor of Oakland, who was also a witness.

Clay was explaining that Oakland's residence district was larger in proportion than its commercial and business districts, as compared to most cities.

"Isn't that because it is the 'bedroom of San Francisco'?" inquired Durbrow.

"No, sir," was the sharp answer. "I will admit that the air is purer and sleep sweeter on our side of the bay, but we are becoming stronger commercially and industries are increasingly right along."

V. O. Lawrence testified as to the advantages of Oakland as a location for industries. His line was somewhat aroused when one of the cross-examining attorneys referred to the businessmen who were looking the situation as "prospective denizens."

The hearing continued throughout the afternoon, and is expected to be concluded either late today or tomorrow morning.

Street Spitter Put in Jail for Night

John Halpin, arrested last night on a charge of spitting on a city ordinance at 224, in regard to expectorating on sidewalks and crosswalks and public buildings and street cars, spent the night in the city prison, as he was unable to provide the necessary bail.

Halpin, who is a solicitor, appeared in court before Judge Joseph Smith today. Judge Smith took the view that Halpin had been sufficiently punished by spending the night in jail, and suspended judgment, thereby causing his release.

"I shall not expect to see you back for this offense," commented the court, as Halpin left. Halpin is the third arrested in the past two days for expectorating on the sidewalk, strict orders having been issued to the police to make arrests for this offense. The arrest was made by Patrolman Canning.

BOARD MAINTAINS COUNCIL TO BLAME

Closing of School Playgrounds Cause of Outbreak at Session of Educators.

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"Who's appointed these people in the past?" demanded Boyle.

"You—mostly," said Kelly.

"That is a ridiculous lie," shouted Boyle. "All I ever got in an appointment was one teacher. Name an appointee of mine!"

"I suppose it wouldn't do to name Lewis the electrician," asked Kelly.

"You all voted for him," shouted Boyle. "Mr. Haddock picked him out."

"It was just the opposite to that," said Miss Brown.

"I'm going to show Dr. Kelly up now," declared Boyle. "Doc, didn't you tell the school janitors over the phone at the last election to keep off Harry Boyle's sight?"

"I did not," laughed Kelly.

"I can prove it," said Boyle.

"I can't. You'll have a hard time," said Kelly.

Boyle made no attempt at proof.

RESOLUTION DELETED.

The resolution was passed as deleted.

The next pruning of a resolution was the playground situation. This, as presented, read that the mayor and city council were not to blame for the lack of funds. Edwards sought to have it passed in connection with a motion that the board fix the budget earlier. The resolution read as follows:

"Resolved, That the annual estimates for school operations and maintenance for the next fiscal year be submitted to this board not later than April 1, so that full consideration and action may be taken to the end that all details may become known to the board of supervisors before the board is called upon to fix the annual county tax levy."

"In view of the board of supervisors not having light on the subject for this year's school tax for school playgrounds, maintenance and repairs, it is moved that through oversight, the error being due to the short time had for consideration on so much detail as given in the school department estimates, and be it further:

"Resolved, That the mayor and the city council have not had any part in the matter of school playgrounds nor was the city council asked to provide funds for their maintenance in this year's budget."

"We can't pass that stuff," said Dr. Kelly. "We asked a conference with the mayor and council and were turned down."

"I won't be so impolite as to say this is a lie, but this clause about the blame and where it is due is just a little inaccurate," said Miss Brown. "I move we strike out the two paragraphs that are not true and simply vote to fix the budget earlier."

"The mayor and council knew the city couldn't give what you wanted and so didn't see the use of a hearing," said Edwards.

QUOTES PROMISE.

"Then why promise it?" asked Dr. Kelly.

"You never asked them for the money," said Edwards.

"We never had a chance," said Kelly.

"Then that's true, and then the council can't be blamed for the closing of the playgrounds," said Edwards.

"The supervisors say it is up to the council," said Miss Brown.

"Maybe some members of the board got the money," said Cook.

"Don't you think the board of education is responsible?" asked Edwards.

MISS BROWN DENIES.

"Some supervisors told me members of the board agreed to the cut in the budget and to close the playgrounds," said Boyle.

"I understood Miss Brown and Mr. Haddock were closed with the supervisors for two hours."

"I was never at a meeting where they said that at which the rest of the board of education was present," said Miss Brown. "Mr. Boyle is misinformed."

"Well," said Edwards, "an early budget lets the people know better what we want."

July 10 was set for the fixing of the school budget hereafter.

Harrison S. Robinson asked that the board establish a school in South Elmhurst, on land to be leased to the city for a year, to be opened next year and a school census. The school was ordered. Mrs. Lucy Barker asked \$10,000 for the Highland school. Her petition was rejected. The board holding that the money is not available.

Petitions that the board purchase the Raleigh property near the Melrose school for a playground was also rejected and rejected. The rejection will come up for reconsideration next week on the motion of Director Boyle.

MAY BE DEFICIT.

That the school receipts may be from \$30,000 to \$40,000 less than the budget appropriations was the warning voiced by Superintendent A. C. Barker, who urged the board to practice every economy.

Rev. C. N. Thomas asked permission to open Cole school playground at the expense of the citizens. This was granted. Edwards again tried to explain that the city administration was not at fault, reading an opinion from the city attorney to bear out his contention.

"We are not criticizing," said Thomas. "The children are children in the school playgrounds and they only cost one-sixth as much to run as the municipal playgrounds."

"There is a feeling that the board of education is incompetent and the board is worse," said Boyle. "This feeling should stop."

"We can't cut teachers' salaries for playgrounds," said Miss Brown. "The council is the proper source of revenue for the playgrounds."

PROTESTS MADE.

Protests from residents and principals against the proposed plan of letting janitor work by contract were received. "It's like doing it by machine," said P. M. Fisher. "I can teach by phonograph and motion pictures—but it would be bad for the children."

On motion of Director Aber it was voted that the board will make no change in the present janitor system. The contract idea was officially abandoned.

The sum of \$15,000 was set aside for Fremont high school improvement. The board will also send to the district attorney to have a representative present at board meetings.

BOARD NEEDS PROTEST.

HARRY RAY, a protest by property owners against a decision of the town board to macadamize Watkins street between Broadway and Broadway, was made at the board meeting last evening in the board rescinding a resolution to proceed with this work. The majority of the property owners in the block was opposed to macadamizing street in a protest petition.

Germans Using New Gas Bombs

French Soldiers Tell of Sensations

By Associated Press.
PARIS, Oct. 7, 5 a. m.—A new kind of gas apparently is being used by the Germans in the fighting in the Champagne district. According to the written statement given Dr. Lucien Dumont by three men who fought respectably at Souain, Suippes and Morancourt, they were surrounded for a few seconds by clouds of deep green gas of a rather pleasant odor. These men asserted that soldiers who wore no masks soon were suffocated, while those with masks lost consciousness for varying periods.

Upon regaining consciousness at field dressing stations, they said, they suffered convulsive seizures resembling epileptic fits. It is believed here that prussic acid is used as the basis of the new gas.

To Hire Troops Is Breach, Say Germans

PARIS, Oct. 7.—The German minister in Switzerland has given out a new white book entitled "Violations of International Law by Great Britain and France in Employing Colored Troops in the European War," says a dispatch to the Temps.

Official War Statements

AUSTRIAN

VIENNA, via London, Oct. 7.—The following official communication from the Austrian government was issued today:

"Russian Theater—About midnight we received on the Italian front a strong Italian attack, which at some points penetrated our defensive lines, making us to expect."

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Friday and Saturday

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50c value Sunfast Drapery, all colors, yard	\$1.85 Value, Pure Feather Bed Pillow
25c and 29c yard H. S. Curtain Scrims, cream and ecru, yard	25c and 35c Fancy Neckwear
35c value 58-inch Mercerized Damask, yard	50c Nickel Plated Scissors, pair
12 1/2c value 20-inch Mercerized Napkins, each	\$1.00 Women's Kid Gloves, small sizes pair
\$1.25 value Honeycomb Bed Spreads, each	25c Taffeta Ribbons, 6 inches wide, yd.
\$1.50 value Double Bed Comforts, each	50c Jewelry, Brooches, Earrings, Hat Pins, Bar Pins, Lavalliers
15c value White Dress Suiting, yard	5c Women's Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, dozen
	25c Women's Lace Hosiery
	25c Remnants of Laces, Embroidery and Trimmings

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DAVIE-JACKSON BREACH WIDENS

Mayor's Criticism of Commission Brings Issue Between Officials to Critical Point.

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Commissioner Jackson was particularly chagrined about the action of Mayor Davie in making the recommendation with regard to the change in the fire department, as the plan was originally conceived in Jackson's own department, and the mayor's knowledge of it, according to Jackson, was derived from the fact that Jackson had the plan already under consideration. Jackson believes that the action of the mayor in filing a demand upon him in council to investigate a plan of reorganization upon which he had actually been working for two months was an obvious attempt to "steal his thunder" and get the credit for something that had actually been initiated by Jackson himself.

At the time when Mayor Davie demanded an investigation of the fire department reorganization from Jackson, the commissioner had on his desk a reply from the board of fire underwriters to his request for information as to whether such a change would make necessary any difference in the fire insurance rates. The fire underwriters have informed Jackson that if the plan is to substitute one full-time full-paid fireman for every three extramural, there will be no necessary increase in the rates. This change, according to Fire Chief Whitehead, would be in the interests of efficiency, but would not result in any actual monetary saving to the city in salaries. An extra man receiving \$50 a month, so that the substitution of one full paid man at \$100 a month for three extramural, would not mean a saving, but a little additional cost.

PROTECTION OF EXTRAMURAL.
The question as to what shall be done to protect the extramural, who have no actual civil service standing, was taken up by Commissioner Jackson some weeks ago with the Civil Service Board. A tentative plan has been considered, and will probably be adopted, by which the age limit among the extramural will be raised, and they will be permitted to take the tests for regular full paid firemen as a promotional examination, thereby starting on an equality with all others, despite the fact that many have passed the regular limit. It is thought that this plan would be just to the men and at the same time would give the city the benefit in making the change, of selecting the full paid men from experienced firemen.

GUILD HOLDS MEETING.
SAN LEANDRO, Oct. 7.—The members of the St. Mark's Guild held a social and business meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. F. C. Stokes. Mrs. J. E. Bolen will be hostess to the guild at a similar affair October 20.

'THE COLLEGE HERO' SCORES HIT AMID APPLAUSE STORM

DR. FRED
BATKIN
AND
MISS
BURNETT
PARK,
OF
"THE
COLLEGE
HERO"
CAST.



Hundreds of pretty girls, tuneful choruses, spirited dancing and the clever work of several amateurs made "The College Hero" last night a success that brought enthusiastic applause from an audience rising to the top of the balcony and overflowing into the gallery, where, between the two acts, groups of performers cheered off their infectious exuberance.

It was the quantity and freshness of youth that the house enjoyed. The musical comedy itself—if it falls within that category—is merely a series of songs and dances, linked together by a few stock words spoken by a few traditional characters invented as an excuse to carry the Terpsichorean action. Vivid costumes—sport coats and gay sweaters,

white sailor suits and police uniforms—add to the spectacle.
Perfectly drilled, the choruses danced with professional snap and unity while they sang new words to melodies from several old comic operas and to other new compositions. The principals, too, were more than adequate, as both Mrs. Helen Roe, who took the part of Helen, and Frederick Harrison, Jr., sang far better than many musical comedy leads. He little to do. He dashes on the stage in time to save the game for Sagebrush and later he dashes in again in a "United States" brown uniform. All then you see Helen in the symbolic red, white and blue drapery of America while the chorus sings "The Star Spangled Banner" and everybody rises. It must be done, apparently.

MANY HITS SCORED.
Meanwhile several hits were scored by the special performers, notably Miss Roxana Wiehe. Previous to this adventure, Miss Wiehe has been watched with great interest as an exceptionally promising pianist, composer, and pupil of Madame Fanny Bloomfield Ziesler. Last night she demonstrated that she was as much at home in vanguard as on the piano, as much at ease in a pickaninny black face and ludicrously short skirt as in a street suit. Her brief "pickaninny act" with Carlton D. Dehler, who was another of the unusually clever performers, scored a distinct and hilarious hit.

Mrs. Bernice van Gelder Weingarten, the well known singer, lifted the performance to a thoroughly different plane when she appeared and sang superbly an aria from "La Traviata." Another participant of decidedly unusual gifts was Miss Gladys Gerrish, who did a dance with the charm and grace of a thorough artist.

Dr. Fred A. Batkin, a Chinese Pate, the College Mascot, made a colorful figure in his scintillating garb and little Olvry Hyde delighted the house with his precocious impersonation of Charlie Chaplin. As the campus cops, Roy Valentine, Robert de Pae, Joe Remington and Fred Hutchinson were greeted with continuing laughter.

Others who filled their parts acceptably were Mrs. V. Anderson as Madame France, dean of the co-ed faculty; Miss Leoline Wins as Betty; James Miller, Jr., John D. Cain, pretty Miss Dorothy Sutphen, Walter D. Hausmann, N. Lorenson, Wm. Lindsay, Fred M. Kerriek, Miss Edith Woodward, John H. Rohr, E. W. Wright, Miss Burnett Park, Dr. E. M. Lundgaard, Mrs. George H. Coolidge, Miss Helen Hamby, Miss Miriam Wiehe, violinist, and little Miss Elizabeth Short, pianiste, assisted in lending interest to the cabaret performance, together with a "saw" dancer who was not on the program.

Woman Attorney Is Murphy Case Witness

Trial of the suit of Lee Murphy, in which he seeks to have deeds and two wills set aside in which property valued at \$8000 was given to Dr. Francis E. Reynolds, on the ground that the physician secured them from the plaintiff's mother, Mrs. Mary D. Murphy-Reynolds through the use of undue influence, was begun before Judge Stanley Smith in Judge Harris' department of the Superior Court today.

Miss Marguerite Ogden, an attorney, and daughter of Judge F. B. Ogden, was placed on the stand by J. J. Rose and Bernard Silverstein, attorneys for Murphy, today. She testified that she had drawn up two wills for Mrs. Reynolds, the first leaving one-sixth of her estate to Dr. Reynolds and the second leaving him one-half of the estate.

Arrest Alleged Lone Street Car Bandit

Charged with being San Francisco's busy "lone street car bandit," Adrian Seney, a pressman, aged 24, was taken into custody at Twelfth and Clay streets, today. Seney, who was arrested by Inspectors Kyle and Serrano, is accused of having held up street cars at Twenty-fourth and Hoffman, North Pine and Powell, and Andover and Richmond, all in San Francisco. He was taken across the bay this afternoon.

"Pigtail Day" Is New One at Fremont "Hr"

Five hundred pretty girls wore "pig-tails" at the Fremont High School yesterday, when "Pigtail Day," a new school tradition, was established. Every girl in school forsook the elaborate headresses of the present to go back to the "pig-tails" of days long past.

BEST WISHES OF U. S. SENT WILSON

Congratulations Received From Official Circles, Friends and Relatives.

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Congress and the return of the diplomatic corps to the capital from the summer embassies, will signify the full swing of the Washington social season, which now will include the usual state dinners and receptions in the executive mansions. President Wilson went to his desk early today as usual and was greeted with congratulations by the White House staff and callers who began arriving immediately. He received congratulations with smiles and words of thanks and evidently was a happy man. His first caller was Assistant Secretary Phillips of the state department. Secretary Lansing followed, and then Senator Saulsbury of Delaware. All the members of the cabinet sent their congratulations early in the day and some of them called later.

NO ENGAGEMENT RING AS YET.
President Wilson is a Presbyterian and Mrs. Galt an Episcopalian, and no decision has been reached as yet as to which service will be used at the wedding. Mrs. Galt is a member of St. Thomas' Episcopal church here.

The President has given Mrs. Galt no engagement ring and one may be purchased on the trip to New York tomorrow.

While the President is in New York he will stay with Colonel House, but Mrs. Galt, her mother and other members of the party will stay at a hotel. Colonel House occupies an apartment which is not large enough to accommodate the entire party.

Throughout today members of the cabinet, government officials and friends of the President telephoned and sent wishes to the White House conveying their congratulations. Mr. Wilson was kept busy all morning attending to personal matters growing out of the announcement of his engagement.

It was said that no detailed arrangements have yet been made for the wedding. The President has not yet chosen a best man, although Colonel House was considered his most likely choice. One of Mrs. Galt's brothers probably will give her away. Because of the smallness of Mrs. Galt's home the wedding party will be necessarily limited to a small group.

ABSORBING TOPIC.
The fact that the President of the United States, on whom the eyes of the world have frequently been focused in the last few months of the European war, had decided to marry again, gave the national capital a new absorbing topic, which, for the moment, overshadowed all questions of international or domestic politics.

The news came as a surprise to all but a few intimate friends, who predicted that the President would be married before long. The President had developed into an intimacy that presaged marriage. That Mrs. Galt had become a companion of the President was known, however, in official and society circles, because she appeared frequently with him, not only on motor rides, but at baseball games.

PLEASURE EXPRESSED.
Close friends who watched the friendship develop expressed today their pleasure at its culmination, not only because of the personal happiness of the President, but because it meant a change from a life of loneliness and unvaried occupation to an atmosphere of helpful companionship. His incessant labor alone in the White House during the period of mourning had affected his spirits.

When he began to take a renewed interest in personal affairs his friends noted immediately a change for the better in his health and the energies with which he attacked tremendous problems before him.

Mrs. Galt is regarded as a woman of rare beauty and charm. Those who have known her best predicted today that she would be as the "first lady" of the land a popular hostess as well as a devoted and capable support to the President in his daily work.

Mrs. Galt is about 33 years of age, youthful in appearance and simple in her tastes. She is the widow of a well-known businessman of Washington, who died eight years ago. She was married in 1896. Before that she was Miss Edith Bolling of Wytheville, Va. Her father was William H. Bolling, a lawyer of distinction.

Yesterday at the end of a busy day for the President, during which he announced that he would not for woman suffrage, took a firm position in favor of national defense and received a number of callers, Mrs. Galt was a dinner guest at the White House. At the moment when the President's Tumulty stood in the executive offices announcing the engagement to a large number of Washington correspondents who had been summoned for the occasion, the President and Mrs. Galt were spending an evening with Dr. Carl T. Grayson and Miss Bones in the White House parlors.

The news was given out in a brief statement, which read:
"The announcement was made today of the engagement of Mrs. Galt to the President of the United States, Woodrow Wilson."

PRESENT AT FUNCTIONS.
Mrs. Galt was present at the first social affair participated in by the President and Mrs. Margaret Wilson in more than a year. It was a tea given by Miss Wilson to neighbors in the artist colony at Cornish, N. H.

Since the return of the President to Washington he and Mrs. Galt have spent many evenings together, sometimes at the White House and often at her home. Last week she occupied a prominent seat in the President's reviewing stand at the G. A. R. parade. She was with her mother in the midst of a circle of the President's friends and wives of cabinet members. She was modestly attired in a flannel suit of pearl gray and wore a large bouquet of flowers. Some of the President's friends who may have had an inkling of today's announcement were rather about Mrs. Galt in animated conversation.

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SERVICE BOARD IS WINNER IN FIGHT

Office of Clerk to Be Restored to Standing; Men to Be Reinstated.

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The city clerk's office from civil service was a violation of the charter. Ordinances affecting the change are being prepared by the city clerk's office and will be introduced, it is understood, in the next few days.

LOYAL WINS FIGHT.
The restoration of the city clerk's office to the operation of civil service is a practical admission by the majority in the city council that its fight with the civil service board is over and that the civil service board has won.

The agreement was reached after Mayor Davie had gone into the matter at length with his advisor, George Kaufmann, who has consistently counseled that "small politics" should be subordinated to a thorough-going policy of efficiency in the best interest of the city.

The change as agreed upon will result in Frank Merritt, who has held the position of chief clerk since the beginning of July, resuming his old place of chief deputy and in Frank Hiss, who was ousted by the new administration, being reinstated as head clerk.

It is probable that Louis Zimmerman will not be reinstated as senior clerk as the office which he held will probably be re-created. City Clerk Cummings said today that he believed he could run the office with one less man than before and this will eliminate Zimmerman.

APPEAL IS PENDING.
An appeal to the court was taken by Hiss and Zimmerman after they had appealed to the civil service board and had been sustained by that body. The appeal is still pending.

Mayor Davie and his advisors have taken the view that civil service is for the best interest of the department and that it would be inadvisable to fight the matter out through lengthy litigation in the courts, with the ultimate prospect of losing and being forced to take the course which they are now about to take voluntarily. The question has been raised as to whether it will be possible to pay Wilkinson and Chappell their salaries for the period during which they have held their jobs, as it is now conceded that their tenure of office was irregular and without certification from the civil service board.

OTHER CASE STANDS.
Just what effect the apparent capitulation of the new administration in this fight over civil service will have upon the content now pending in regard to the civil service standing of the sanitary and plumbing inspectors in the health department, has not been determined. The men who were ousted from these positions have been sustained by the Superior Court and their re-instatement demanded. The council has instructed the city attorney to carry the case to the Appellate Court. It has been considered generally that the case of the ousted plumbers and sanitary inspectors was an even stronger one than that of the ousted deputy city clerks. It will rest with Commissioner Jackson to decide whether he wishes to follow suit and recommend that the litigation in this matter also be dropped.

There was a rumor about the hall today that C. Stuart MacMullen, whose job of revenue expert was abolished a few days ago, was slated for the position of city clerk and that Cummings is to go. This, however, was denied in the mayor's office and MacMullen stated that he was planning to go to Los Angeles on business.

Mrs. Francoeur Loses 5-Year Will Fight

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—Mrs. Jennie E. Francoeur, clubwoman and political leader and editor of Everywoman, today lost her five years' fight against Attorney Henry N. Beatty, in which the \$50000 estate of Mrs. Elizabeth H. Hittcock of Berkeley was the prize fought for.

The Supreme Court ended the litigation today by confirming the judgment of Judge Seawell rendered in 1910, which upheld Beatty's claim to the property.

Mrs. Francoeur alleged as the basis of her action against Attorney Beatty that by means of deception he persuaded Mrs. Hittcock to name him in her will instead of Mrs. Francoeur, to which Mrs. Francoeur alleges, Mrs. Hittcock intended to leave her fortune.

She declares that Mrs. Hittcock had often told her she wanted her, Mrs. Francoeur, to have \$50,000 of her property.

Mrs. Francoeur says she suggested

Manila R. R. Sought by Island Government

By Associated Press.
MANILA, Oct. 7.—The government of the Philippine Islands is reported to be negotiating for the purchase of stock of the Manila Railroad, the securities of which are now held chiefly by a syndicate headed by James Speyer, the New York banker.

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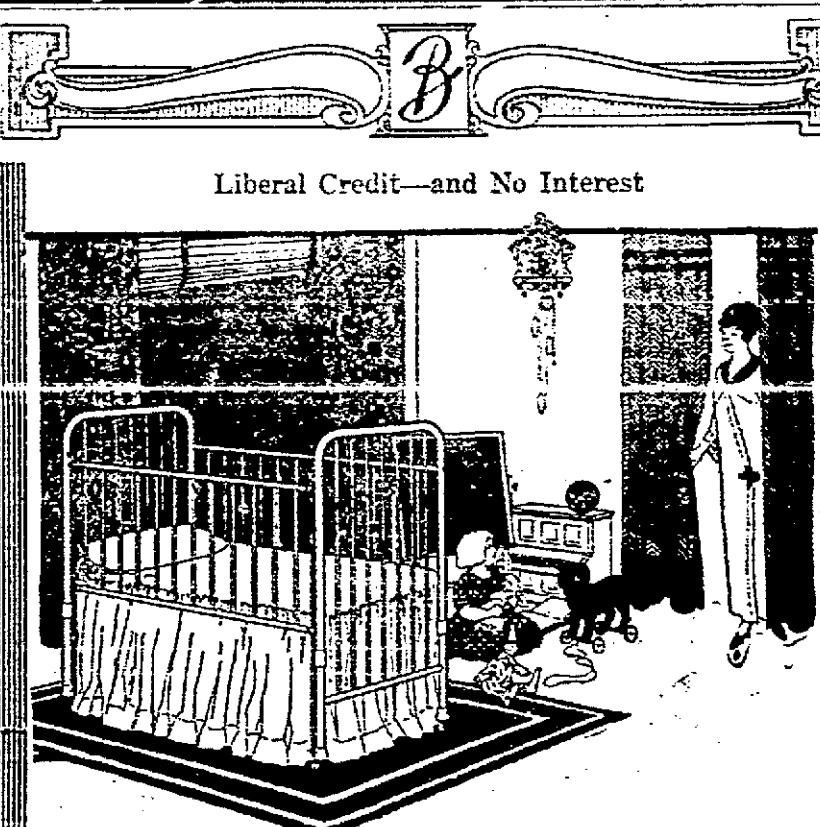
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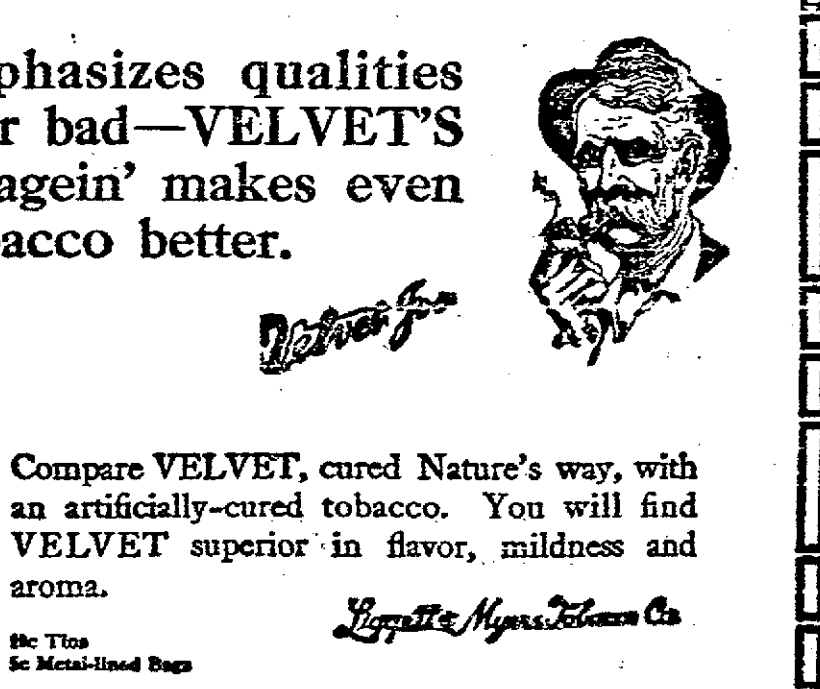
The "Simmons Safe Crib" pictured above we have in both white enamel and Vernis Martin. Price, \$13.50.

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Oakland, Oct. 11th-16th

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Grass Fire Controlled by Work of Poses

By Associated Press.
SAUGUS, Cal., Oct. 7.—The grass fire which swept north and south along the ridge between Santa Clara and Santa Rosa, 20 miles from here, during the day, was reported under control by 4:30 p.m. last night.
Four oil wells were damaged, a number of small buildings destroyed and much grazing ground burned over.
Extensive oil property was endangered and several hundred head of cattle had to be driven from their grazing grounds.

SURE FOR LOSS OF HAND.
STOCKTON, Oct. 7.—Stella M. Sheehan, a 30-year-old woman, was injured by the loss of her left hand, which she says was caught in a mangle machine. The case has been filed before the industrial accident court and will be tried October 13.

Sheriffs and Strikers Are Injured in Fight

By Associated Press.
DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 7.—Nine deputy sheriffs and twenty striking employees of the Michigan Alkali Company were injured late last night in a fight which started when about 200 strikers attempted to force their way through the gates of the plant. The men, all laborers, walked out this morning, demanding an increase of wages of from \$1.75 to \$2.10 a day.

AUTOS CRASH IN NIGHT.
NEVADA CITY, Oct. 7.—Two automobiles crashed together yesterday evening at the corner of Pine and Broad streets. One of the cars was driven by Homer George Stuart, superintendent at the Nevada County Hospital.

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OH, MY BACK!

The Expression of Many a Kidney Sufferer in Oakland.

A stubborn backache is cause to suspect kidney trouble. When the kidneys are inactive and swollen, pooling brings a sharp twinge in the small of the back that almost takes the breath away. Doan's Kidney Pills revive sluggish kidneys—relieve aching backs. Here's E. Oakland proof.

J. D. Evans, 2405 E. 14th St., E. Oakland, says: "I had kidney trouble at the beginning of kidney trouble and it grew worse until it was almost unbearable. I had sharp twinges and could hardly rest on account of two frequent passages of the kidney secretions. In the morning I felt so feeble and tired and worn-out, I lay under my eyes swelled and I had dizzy spells. I doctored and tried different remedies without success until I heard of Doan's Kidney Pills. I used them until every symptom of kidney complaint had gone away. I have been in good health since."

CHURCHWOMEN PLAN RALLY FOR VISITOR

East bay church women will join with the San Francisco Methodist Home Mission Society in giving a home to the visitor on Monday evening, October 11, at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, across the bay. In honor of the national officers of the organization, who will come to the bay regions at the close of the annual session now in progress at Seattle, Wash. Mrs. W. T. Thirkield, national president and wife of Bishop Thirkield, will be one of the special guests. Mrs. David Dailley, secretary of young people's work, and Mrs. Leonard Woodworth, national secretary, will also be present, and many others are expected to take part in the gathering.

Preceding the rally the young people of the church will serve a dinner at 6:15 o'clock.

On Tuesday, October 12, members of the Methodist Home Mission Societies of both the Oakland and San Francisco districts will meet at the Baker street entrance to the Extension and will proceed in a body to the California building, where another rally will be held. Mrs. M. C. Smith, president of the California Woman's Conference Board, will preside at this occasion and will be assisted by Mrs. S. G. Harrison, president of the Oakland district, and Mrs. T. J. S. Harrison, president of the San Francisco district.

Meetings will be extended the gathering by the Women's Board of the P. P. I. E., and after a number of addresses, including one by Mrs. Woodworth on "The Interests of the Organization," a bronze plaque presented by the Extension officials will be received by Mrs. W. T. Thirkield.

SWINDLERS USING NAME OF CHARITY TO DEFRAUD

Declaring that unauthorized agents are circulating pleas for aid, and thus raising money by fraud, the Volunteers of America have issued a statement getting forth the facts in the case. This follows:

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC: The Volunteers of America wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that it has come to their notice that unscrupulous persons are making use of their name soliciting contributions of money, clothing, etc., in Oakland. All accredited solicitors of the Volunteers of America are supplied with proper credentials and the public should insist on seeing the authority of those soliciting contributions.

PHILANTHROPISTS TO MEET.

Stamp collectors have been invited to attend a meeting of the Western Philatelic Association in the class room of the Chabot Observatory, Jefferson street between Tenth and Eleventh streets, this evening when "The Argentine Republic" will be the topic for discussion.

RECRUITS URGED BY JOINT LABOR

National Committees' Heads Issue Manifesto and Appeal for Soldiers.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—An appeal for recruits for the British army was issued today by the heads of the three national committees of trade unions, the Parliamentary committee, the General Federation of Trades Unions committee and the executive committee of the Labor party.

The manifesto declares that tens of thousands of men of military age and fitness have not yet joined the colors. Stating that equipment and supplies of munitions for these men are ready, the manifesto urges that they assume immediately their share of the burden. "Thirty thousand recruits weekly," the appeal declares, "must be raised to maintain the efficiency of our arms, and secure such a victory as will free the world from the fear of that military tyranny which Germany would impose upon it."

The manifesto, which is addressed by the joint labor board to its fellow countrymen, points out that at no time in the history of the nation has it been faced with a crisis of such gravity as now exists.

"Aggression, carefully planned," it continued, "has after 14 months of unbroken German forces been able to maintain the status quo."

"We know that Germany is prepared to involve every country in the conflict in order to attain her ends."

The appeal concludes: "We know that defeat or an inconclusive peace means for us not only loss of prestige as a nation and the certainty that the conflict will be renewed in a few years, but the loss of those personal liberties and privileges which it has taken centuries of effort to win. Responsibility for victory or defeat rests upon those who have not yet responded to the call."

OAKLAND MOOSE TO HOLD GREAT CELEBRATION

Oakland lodge of Moose will be host on Wednesday evening, October 27, at the municipal auditorium to the leading members of the order of the state, county and city officials, and many of their friends of the bay cities who will be invited to attend. The occasion will be the celebration of the fifth anniversary of the lodge.

Committees are already hard at work arranging for the details of the big affair, and the big feature of the program will be a ball in which the notable members of the order will participate. A. J. Tyrrell has been appointed as a committee of one to secure the presence of Governor Hiram Johnson as the guest of the evening. Governor Johnson is a member of the San Francisco lodge and the only resident governor in the state of Mooseheart, the big institutional school of the order conducted for the children of deceased members.

Governor Johnson and Judge George Samuel will make short talks during the evening. Among the features of the evening will be a regimental drill, in which the Moose of Oakland, San Francisco, Richmond, Fruitvale, Berkeley, Alameda, Hayward, San Jose, Stockton, Martinez, and Sacramento lodge are to take part. They will be led by Colonel L. A. Eaton, who is in command of this entire division.

R. R. MEN AGAINST JITNEYS. SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—Declaring that the jitney bus is the product of unemployment, needlessly hard on streets, and not the proper producer of tax money, the American Electric Street Railway Association has protested against the passenger automobiles, alleging that it cannot survive because it is not profitable to the operator. The street railwaymen will have an official day at the fair and will hold business sessions all the week.

At the Theatre

MACDONOUGH

The Trail of the Macdonough was never better staged than at the Macdonough theatre with Virginia Bessie and Norman Macdonough in the leading roles. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

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ORPHEUM

Rarely does it happen that such a tremendous hit is scored by any vaudeville act at the Orpheum as that which the Four Vagabonds have registered this week. For a solid hour these merry lads, with a bunch of pretty girls, dancers and singers, comedians, romps about the stage, giving the smartest entertainment that the most fastidious theatergoer could desire.

Speck Lilliputians, a bunch of little people from Berlin, are very funny and decidedly clever in all their long routine of stunts.

Another big hit on the bill is scored by Devine and Williams, "The Traveling Salesman and the Female Drummer," whose comedy is a masterpiece of vaudeville. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

The Orpheum orchestra, a bunch of little people from Berlin, are very funny and decidedly clever in all their long routine of stunts.

GREEK THEATER

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AUDITORIUM

Practically all the special scenery for the Ruth and Sam Plays, which she is to present at the Oakland civic opera-house Monday night, October 11, were built by Mr. Simmons. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

ROMANCE REVEALED OF ARMY OFFICER

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 7.—Revelation of a pretty romance of the navy came from Catalina Island yesterday when it was learned that Lieutenant George Hallett, of the aeronautical department of the United States navy, was in the city. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

Just at this time came the outbreak of the European war and the flight of the American fleet to the Atlantic ocean was prevented. Lieutenant Hallett was sent 3900 miles westward to San Diego, but he brought with him the memory of the attractive Hammondport belle.

Letters followed with increasing frequency and a short time ago, finding it impossible for him to make an aerial flight eastward for his bride, Lieutenant Hallett persuaded her to "fly" to him here via the railroad route.

The couple met in Los Angeles, Miss Hammondport being accompanied from Hammondport by her friend, Miss Shirley Wadsworth. They were married by Dr. Baker F. Lee at Christ Church.

BIDS OPENED FOR SIX DESTROYERS FOR NAVY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—Bids opened by the Navy department for six torpedo boat destroyers, brought proposals ranging from \$25,000 to \$30,000.

The lowest was \$25,000 each for three thirty-foot torpedoes, submitted by W. C. Camp and Sons, Philadelphia, \$17,500 each to be added for Pacific Coast delivery.

JURY HOLDS NEGLIGENCE CAUSED ARDMORE FIRE

ARDMORE, Okla., Oct. 7.—The deaths and injuries caused by an explosion of gasoline here the afternoon of September 27, were caused by negligence of the Santa Fe Railroad Co., one of the employees, but said negligence was not felonious, according to a verdict returned by the coroner's jury today.

Goethals to Stay on Job and Fight Slides

PANAMA, Oct. 7.—General George W. Goethals, who arrived here last night on the steamer Cristobal, has declined to resign his position as chief engineer of the Panama Canal. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

PANTAGES

"Haberdashery," triumph of the vaudeville talents of the year, full of life, color and humor, had a splendid success at the Pantages. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

HIPPODROME

For the last half of the week the Hippodrome is offering the hilarious six-act comedy, "The Punctured Balloon," with a splendid new vaudeville act, "The Punctured Balloon," with a splendid new vaudeville act.

The Alpha troupe of jugglers have one of the best acts of their kind seen on the stage. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

OAKLAND PHOTO

Mary Pickford, the world's foremost picture star, and who is reported in "Rags" the transcendent triumph she attained in her latest picture, "Rags," has now been brought back to the Oakland Photo Theater for an engagement of four days in this her most praised picture.

Always inimitable, always human, lovable and impulsive, she makes the character of "Rags" a living, breathing personality of all that is sweet and tender. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

BROADWAY

"In Algeria," the current attraction at the Broadway theater, is proving one of the biggest attractions of the season with its brilliant comedy and its clever and witty characters. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

The play, which is being presented in its original New York form, has two acts and a scene for which special settings are required. The music in the play vies for headline honors with the comedy of the actors and actresses. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

"Gets-It" for Corns, SURE as Sunrise!

Any Corn, With "Gets-It" on It, Is An Absolute "Goner!" Yes, it's the simplest thing in the world to get rid of a corn—when you use "Gets-It," the world's greatest corn-remover. Really it's a sure cure for corns, blisters, and all other foot troubles. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

"Gets-It" Puts Your Feet in Clover. Just loosen the corn from the true flesh, easily and then makes it come "let off." Forty-eight hours ends corns for keeps. It makes the use of tape, corn-cutters, bladders, irritating salves, knives, scissors, and razors really look ridiculous. Get rid of those corns quickly, safely, sensibly—just easily taking "Gets-It" for corns and bunions, too. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

"Gets-It" is sold by druggists, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago. Sold in Oakland and Sacramento by the world's best corn remedy by The Owl Drug Co.

Why Suffer From Migraine or Sick Headache?

USE ANTI-KAMNIA TABLETS Dr. J. J. Calkins says that this exceedingly distressing disease does not shorten life, but does not appear to be curable. Sufferers from this affliction are condemned to undergo the periodical attacks every few weeks until they are forty years of age, after which the attacks are less frequent and finally disappear entirely. Palliative measures during the attack are all that it is possible to do. The best preventive measure, an attack may often be prevented by taking two anti-kamnia tablets when the first symptoms appear, and one anti-kamnia tablet every two hours during the attack shortens it, eases the pain and brings rest and quiet. Anti-kamnia tablets may be obtained from all druggists. Ask for A-K Tablets. They quickly relieve all pain.

French Offer Relief to Louisiana People

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 7.—The French government, through Foreign Minister Delcasse, has authorized the American ambassador to inform the Louisiana people that the French government is prepared to offer relief to the Louisiana people. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

Fire Trucks Arrive. MISALIA, Oct. 7.—Fire Co. 4 of Bert Williams and Chief Engineer Andrew W. Williams, who arrived here last night on the steamer Cristobal, has declined to resign his position as chief engineer of the Panama Canal. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

Executive Committee to Consider Defenses

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—Mayor Mitchell last night announced the appointment of an executive committee of seven with Charles Vanderpool chairman, to consider the defenses of the city. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

Will Discuss Hog Cholera. WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The U. S. Department of Agriculture will discuss hog cholera at a meeting of the National Hog Raisers Association which will be held in Washington, D. C., on October 10 and 11. The play is a masterpiece of dramatic construction and is a masterpiece of acting.

Dress-Up Week, October 11 to 16

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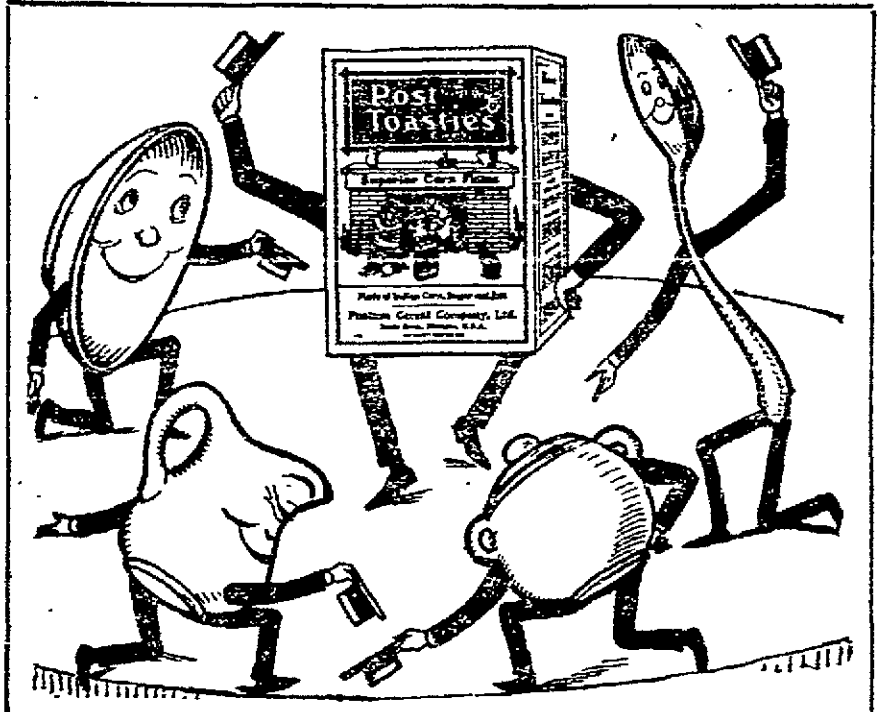
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Tell Social Workers Church Federations Fail

NEW EFFORTS
NEEDED, SAYS
VAN HORN

That the Church Federations of Oakland and San Francisco planned to bring together all denominations for a greater good—have proven that failure was the declaration made today at the session of the Social Workers' Congress, when Dr. Francis J. Van Horn, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, spoke of them as "not amounting to much," and urged that another attempt be made to crystallize church work.

"The church," he declared, "I refer to as one great body, embracing all denominations, and standing together on the big things affecting the common good. We have turned church federations to effect this."

"It must be confessed that the church federation here does not amount to much, and in San Francisco it does not represent the church life of the city. Here, too, we must confess at least to a degree of failure."

"The church represents the people. At the present time we have a strike car strike threatening in Oakland, and may soon have to walk and swim across the bay. The employees have put up a proposition for arbitration, and the employer says there is nothing to arbitrate. The people are the ones to pay. And was there ever a point of disagreement where there was nothing to arbitrate? The church certainly has a right to a voice in this matter."

Dr. Susan J. Fenton, who presided at the morning session in the Hotel Oakland Blue Room, introduced Luther Burbank, the plant wizard, who spoke on child culture. Declaring that through stress of business affairs and the necessity of entering Exposition visitors he was unable to prepare a speech, he read several chapters from his book on child culture, as analogous to plant culture.

BURBANK SPEAKS.
"The curse of child life," he said, "is over-education. Even if a child graduates from school a year later what difference does it make? Plants are not expected to bear fruit a few weeks after birth. No two children are alike, yet you take and stuff and cram them to the danger line. The work of breaking up the nervous systems of the children of the United States is well under way."

"Be honest with the children. The most sensitive life in the world is the child life."

Burbank spoke of proper feeding, declaring that children like plants could only thrive on a balanced ration. He spoke of proper exercise, allowing the child to live close to nature, and declared that until a child is fully ten years of age it should be permitted to live as close to nature as possible.

"Knowledge is power—but it takes wisdom to make it useful," he said.

Miss Bessie Wood spoke on the work of the state schools for girls.

Lola G. Bawin, of the municipal department of public safety for women of Portland; Miss Beatrice McCall of the Oakland women's protective bureau; Miss Edna McGraw and Mrs. A. M. Kelley were the other speakers of today's session.

Tonight, in the First Presbyterian Church, J. Arthur Elston, congressman, will preside. Kate Waller Barrett of the Federal government will speak. C. H. Cheney will be heard on city planning. Professor Thomas H. Reed will also speak.

RECEPTION AT MOSSWOOD.
Friday morning Miss McCall will preside at the meeting at which Austin Lewis will be heard. A reception will be held in the afternoon at Mosswood park for the delegates, and Rev. A. W. Palmer, Judge D. J. Flanner and Edwin Markham will be heard at this affair.

Tomorrow evening "The State Regulation of Vice" will be discussed by Dr. Katherine Bunnell of Piedmont, and E. D. Reibel will speak on "Profit Sharing."

Saturday the delegates will be the guests of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst at her hacienda near Piesante.

Chief of Police William F. Woods was the speaker at last night's session, telling of the close connection between the work of the policeman and the social service expert. He spoke of the police co-operation with the social work of Oakland, of the suppression of vice and the lotteries, and of the different methods by which certain cases are handled.

Mrs. C. M. Weismann, superintendent of the California state school for girls, also spoke.

ORIENTAL MAIDENS LIKE
THEIR "BIG GRAY HOUSE"

MRS. MO YUM YOUNG, CHINESE TEACHER AT THE NEW NATHANIEL TOOKER HOME FOR CHINESE GIRLS IN EAST OAKLAND.

Chinese Customs Not to Be Lost in New Home in East Oakland

The big, gray house at 855 East Eleventh street felt a new sensation yesterday afternoon when it formally became "The National Tooker Home for Chinese Girls." Through its staid, spacious rooms flowed a white-clad, bustling mass of small Oriental femininity with dark, garbed American women, smiling and befeathered, among them. Visitors climbed many flights of stairs, peered at the blonde American dollies staring primly from the pillows of the white iron beds, and came benignly down again to hear almond-eyed Clara and Helen sing: "Little child, little child," in very Anglo-Saxon words.

The new home established in East Oakland for Chinese girls is a branch of the celebrated Presbyterian mission founded forty-five years ago in Sacramento street, San Francisco. Purchased through a donation from the Misses Tooker, daughters of the late Nathaniel Tooker, an East Orange capitalist, it is to be maintained by scholarships from individuals. Each little Chinese inmate is to represent a human investment. This was explained at the opening by Mrs. H. C. Kinney, president of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions.

The visitors saw that the furniture is hygienically American, barring the bamboo stools and the ear, handleless cups in the dining room with its many round tables. All the little girls—none of them over 12 years old—wear great bright butterfly bows on their shining black hair, but in most respects their education and clothing is to be along the Oriental lines so that they may not be unfitted to live among their own people.

RETAIN CHINESE CUSTOMS.
They will eat Chinese food, learn the political customs of old China, study with a digested Chinese teacher, Mrs. To Yum Young, and romp about in the traditional trousers and embroidered satin slippers of old Canton. An American teacher, Miss Josephine Smith of Chico, will teach them English and other American public school work. Yes, and also gardening—nearly every child has already patted a rose sprig into the brown earth around her new home.

Mrs. To Yum Young, carrying one of the tiny almond-eyed babies in her blue, turquoise figures yesterday as the six young girls who are to be "helpers" in the school gathered near to chirp at her small burden in its pink American blanket. Babies, in fact, were quite the popular feature, visitors and the fascinating little Chinese maidens following them around in fascinated sympathy until the entertainment began.

The supervision of the home is to be in charge of a committee of prominent women from both sides of the bay, many of whom were present at the opening, with Miss Doreen Cameron, who has for twenty years conducted the San Francisco home as a special figure. This committee, directed by Mrs. H. C. Kinney, includes the following:

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MILLS BURN:
DISTRICT IS
MENAGED

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—Two lumber plants were completely destroyed, damage to the extent of \$75,000 was sustained and two men were injured in a disastrous fire in the wholesale district at 5:45 o'clock this morning. More than 1,000,000 feet of lumber went up in smoke. By two planing mills, a drying kiln and a half dozen smaller buildings were a prey to the flames. Those hurt were:

JOSEPH CANATO, bargeman, 900 Hooper street, first and second degree burns, both hands, head and neck.

DENNIS ROACH, fireman, Engine Company No. 6, asphyxiation by smoke, exhaustion.

The lumber companies whose plants were destroyed were the Acme Lumber Company and the Holmes Planing Mill Company, Sixth and Hooper streets. The fire originated in the carpenter shop of the Acme Company, and shavings and small sticks of wood were afire when John Gustavson, the night watchman, saw smoke coming through a window. By the time the first alarm had been turned in the flames had spread to the woodwork and the flimsy structure was a caldron of fire.

CAUSED BY COMBUSTION.
Spontaneous combustion is supposed to have kindled the sparks in shavings. Three alarms were turned in and Chief Thomas Murphy took personal charge. The fire took David Scannell and Dennis Sullivan steam up the channel and added the engines in getting water on the flames.

The fire spread quickly to the planing mills of both the Acme and Holmes Company and the drying kiln of the former concern could not be saved, although firemen did their best to wet down the structure, which was directly in the path of the flames.

Joseph Canato narrowly escaped being burned to death. He resides in a small cottage at one side of the Acme Company's plant, and the building was blazing before he was aroused and escaped minus his clothing. He did not suffer any burns at that time, but in a return dash to save his money and other valuables he was painfully burned. He succeeded in rescuing his coin and clothes, but had to be forced to leave by the firemen as the flames crept up upon him.

SPECTACULAR SCENE.
The fire was a spectacular one, the flames leaping high into the air and lighting up the neighborhood. It could be seen from almost all over the city. H. M. Cochran, president of the Acme Lumber Company, sped to the scene in his automobile and watched the work of the fire department. He declared that his plant was covered by insurance and expressed the opinion that the fire department had worked well in extinguishing the flames without allowing them to spread to adjacent business houses on the block bounded by Sixth, Seventh, Channel and Hooper streets.

NON-PARTISAN
CAMPAIGN IS
LAUNCHED

Alameda Co. Committee Decides Upon Plans at Joint Preliminary Meeting.

Alameda county's campaign against Governor Johnson's non-partisan bill will culminate in a monster mass meeting, to be held in the municipal auditorium on a night during the week preceding the election of October 26, at which a number of speakers of nation-wide prominence will speak. This was decided upon at a meeting last night of members of the Alameda county joint committee, held in the law offices of J. W. Hayes in the Union Savings Bank building, at which preliminary plans for the local campaign were outlined.

Champ Clark, speaker of the House of Representatives, who is expected here the latter part of the month, will be asked to be one of the speakers of the evening. Samuel H. Shortridge of San Francisco and United States Senator James D. Phelan will also be asked to address the mass meeting, and former Governor George C. Pardee will be asked to preside.

In the meantime, between now and the date of the mass meeting, a series of smaller meetings will be held in all parts of the county, at which local speakers will explain the case at issue, and ask for the preservation of party politics in the state of California. The details of the campaign plan were not formulated last night, but action on this line will be taken at a meeting to be held in the same place this evening.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

W. B. Bunker, president of the Jefferson club, who presided at the committee session last night, appointed a committee on finance, which will secure funds with which the local fight will be waged. The following were named as members of this committee: Rupert Whitehead, Louis Aber, George W. Reed, William C. Dodge, Republicans, and A. W. Beam of Hayward, John J. McDonald, R. H. Adams and W. J. Hayes, Democrats. Peter J. Crosby acted as secretary of last night's meeting. H. H. McPike, secretary of the state joint committee, and H. W. Brunk of Berkeley, were also present.

The date of the mass meeting in the auditorium will be determined today when it is learned what night the municipal structure may be secured. It was decided that the meeting will be held on either October 19, 20 or 21. The dates of the smaller meetings have not been determined as yet.

ROWELL-SHORTBRIDGE DEBATE.

Samuel H. Shortridge and Chester E. Rowell met in debate on the non-partisan bill before the Commonwealth Club in the St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco, last night. Rowell declared the measure as merely extending the non-party system in that state to a few more offices, while Shortridge took the position that it was an attempted invasion of the constitutional right of the people to organize and maintain political parties.

The joint parties state committee has issued an appeal for funds, a pamphlet setting forth the work of the allied organizations—having been prepared and issued by a special committee headed by Robert B. May.

The discovery has been made by Assemblyman Milton Schmitt that funds of the state of California have been used to further the state administration's campaign to prevent the defeat of the non-party bill.

There have just been printed at the state printing office at Sacramento, at public expense, 10,000 copies of a voluminous pamphlet entitled "Primary Election Laws of California, Together With Annotations and Analysis by the Author of the Bill."

This document has been made the vehicle of a partisan argument in favor of the measure at the hands of C. C. Young, speaker of the assembly, who fathered them in the interest of the administration.

Authority for this publication was found in a senate resolution which was slipped through the day before adjournment of the last session.

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Members of the grievance committee decided upon this meeting yesterday afternoon and no further action will be taken by either side until the result of the second strike vote has been made known. In the meantime word is being awaited from W. A. Stanton, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, who was yesterday sent a telegraphic message asking him to come to Oakland and take charge of the situation for the union men.

Motive for Suicide,
But Not Evidence

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 7.—Theodor Peltzer, wealthy real estate, died by accident in a fall from a window of his office on the fifth floor of a building here on September 29, a coroner's jury decided today.

That "there is evidence of a motive for suicide, but no positive testimony showing it to be such," was the declaration of the jury after hearing witnesses testify that Peltzer had issued fraudulent deeds of trust and notes to an amount estimated by the witnesses at \$400,000.

Floyd Jacobs, county prosecutor, issued a statement saying a grand jury would be called to examine into the business affairs of the dead man.

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MISSIONARIES
TELL VALUE
OF PRAYER

Convention Opens With Symposium by Many Leading Workers.

Women who have invaded the far places of the world to spread the gospel, entered into the first day of their convention in Oakland this morning at the first Methodist Episcopal church, it being the twenty-seventh annual session of the Pacific branch, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Presided over by Mrs. George B. Smythe of Berkeley, president of the society, prayer and devotionals was held. Following the appointment of various committees, Mrs. William Fraser, McDowell of Evanston, Illinois, delivered the principal address, she telling of the progress made by the workers in the far east of the work done in this country to assist them. Miss Alice Johnston rendered vocal selections. Mrs. Z. L. Marmelade spoke on "The Year's Itinerary." Mrs. C. C. Lombard offered the noonday prayer. Rev. E. P. Bennett, district superintendent, delivered holy communion at the opening of this afternoon's meeting. The speakers at this session were Mrs. S. F. Johnson on foreign investments, Mrs. W. F. Rice on the religious condition in South America, and Miss Laura Charneck, telling of results of extension work. Missionaries Miss Ellison Bodler, Miss Elizabeth Martin and Miss Bertha Reel.

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25000 Alaska Gold	35 1/2	33	33 1/2	35 1/2
1000 Ala. Cotton	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
7000 Ala. Coal	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
7000 Ala. Creamers	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
1000 Ala. Dry Co	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
1000 Ala. Lumber	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
15000 Am Car & Fgd.	84	80 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
1000 Ala. Oil	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
7000 Ala. Sugar	88	86 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
1000 Ala. Tobacco	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
17000 Ala. Lumber	22 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	22 1/2
800 Ala. Oil	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
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600 Ala. Ind. Secur.	21	20 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2
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4500 Ala. Lumber	20 1/2	20	20	20 1/2
11000 Ala. Locomotive	67	65 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2
1000 Ala. Lumber	100	97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
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